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Applicants: Alberte, R. et al.

Examiner: Yamnitzky, M.

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Protection Agents*

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**Amendment & Response**

Dear Examiner Yamnitzky:

In response to the non-final Office Action in the above-referenced application, mailed April 6, 2005, the Applicants submit the following Amendment and Response.

**Please amend the above-identified application as follows:**